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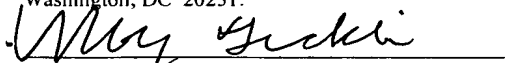
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))
(Regular application claiming priority of a provisional)

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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:
SHING LEE, PH.D.

For: **FILM THICKNESS MEASUREMENT USING ELECTRON-BEAM INDUCED X-RAY MICROANALYSIS**

Priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/210,337 filed on June 7, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e).

Application Elements:

- ☒ **24** Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☒ **9** Sheets of formal Drawings
- ☐ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ Separate Declaration

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)
- ☐ Separate Power of Attorney by Assignee
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
- ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

☐ Small Entity Statement(s)
☐ Other:

Claim For Foreign Priority

☐ Priority of _____ Application No. _____ filed on _____
is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

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☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

“This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____
filed on _____, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.”

General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. KLA1P012).

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